REMARKS

Claims 1-4, 6 and 7 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claim 7 is amended to correct an error in the January 28, 2005 Amendment.

No new matter is added by this Amendment. Support for the language added to claim 7 can be found in original claim 7 and the specification at, for example, paragraph 54.

Claim 7 has been amended to correctly recite the claimed method. In particular, the phosphor thin film generated after annealing has the formula $A_xB_yO_wS_z$. The prior Amendment erroneously amended the claim to indicate that the thin film had this composition prior to annealing.

Applicants submit that claim 7 is allowable for the reasons specified in the previously filed Amendment. In particular, Applicants have amended claim 7 to recite that the phosphor thin film has the formula $A_xB_yO_wS_z$, as suggested by the Patent Office. Thus, reconsideration and withdrawal of the 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph, rejection of claim 7 are respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-4, 6 and 7 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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